

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Schelen et al. Docket No.: NET-6465

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For: Method for Controlling Forwarding Quality in a Data Network

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are presented in response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed August 17, 2009. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows.